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To: Marlene H. Dortch
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RE: CC Docket No. 96-45
Interstate Common Line Support and Long Term Support -- ICLS
Annual Certification Filing

This is to certify that Montezuma Mutual Telephone Company will use its **Interstate Common Line Support and Long Term Support** only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended.

I am authorized to make this certification on behalf of the company named above. This certification is for the study area(s) listed below.

Company Name	State	Study Area Code
Barnes City Cooperative Telephone Co.	Iowa	351108
Montezuma Mutual Telephone Co.	Iowa	351248
Searsboro	Iowa	351292

(If necessary, attach a separate list of additional study areas and check here.) _____

Signed,

Dennis A. Simpson
[Signature of Authorized Representative]

Date: 6-26-03

Dennis A. Simpson
[Printed Name of Authorized Representative]

Accountant
[Title of Authorized Representative]

Carrier's Name: **Montezuma Mutual Telephone Company**
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